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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Yoshihiro Moriguchi et al.  
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Title : SUBSTRATE TREATMENT APPARATUS, SUBSTRATE  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application, please enter the following preliminary amendment and remarks: